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**RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 17, 2005, Applicants submit the following remarks.

**REMARKS**

Applicants respectfully traverse and request reconsideration.

Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for the notice that claims 4 and 5 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

Claims 1-26 stand provisionally rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting in view of claims 1-25 of co-pending application number 10/735,300. Applicants reserve the right to file a Terminal Disclaimer if necessary.